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In re Patent Application of)	Mail Stop: Amendment
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Application No.: 09/830,986)	Examiner: U. Ramachandran
Filed: May 3, 2001)	Confirmation No.: 7285
For: MUCO-ADHESIVE POLYMERS, USE)	
THEREOF AND METHOD FOR)	
PRODUCING THE SAME)	
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In complete response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2007, and further in response to the interview with the Examiner on August 16, 2007, Applicants submit herewith the following Amendment and Reply. Also submitted herewith is a Petition for One Month Extension of Time, extending the period for response from August 3, 2007 to September 3, 2007.